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#### Hey Katherine,

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Held Tribal Involvement in Alaska Resource Extraction Projects Session at the October 2008 Alaska Tribal Conference on Environmental Management and at the January 2009 Bristol Bay Native Association Indian Environmental General Assistance Program Workplan Development Workshop.

Alaska Forum on the Environment - EPA, ADNR, ADEC will be conducting Mining 101 session with focus on tribal involvement on Wednesday February 4th.

First week of June - EPA, ADNR, ADEC will be conducting Mining 101 training for tribes located along the Kuskokwim River, sessions will be held in Bethel & Aniak.

For more information, please contact Tami Fordham or Patricia McGrath.

Thanks! Tami

Tami Fordham

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### Hi Tami!

Could you please send me a couple of sentences about things you've been working on or doing in the last few months, or will be in next few months? Your work and that of your tribes is really important, and sharing it will contribute to improving communication and collaboration on tribal issue in R10.

Thanks very much,

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#### **Greetings Tribal Coordinators!**

We are getting ready to put together the Winter issue of the R10 Tribal Updates. Please please send me your updates by COB Monday Jan 19th Tuesday January 20th! Below are examples of what we're looking for in the updates- bulleted highlights of activities relevant to R10 tribal work, including but not limited to any current or upcoming:

#### events;

regulation or policy developments; tribal consultations; environmental justice issues; and/or technical assistance to tribes or the Tribal Unit.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to call me at x7263. Thank you thank you for all you do!

Sincerely,

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Southcententral Alaska Tribal Meetings on Mining and Seafood Processing
Katherine Brown participated in and facilitated several meetings about tribal resource extraction issues in southcentral Alaska this August and September. Internal meetings with R10 Project Managers and staff preceded meetings with tribal representatives interested in mining and the proposed Pebble Project, the Chuitna Coal Project, and the Alaska Seafood Processors Offshore General Permit. A teleconference with Lake Iliamna and area tribes featured a presentation on Mining and Tribal Involvement and an update on proposed Pebble Project status by Tribal Resource Extraction Policy Advisor Tami Fordham. Meetings with the Native Village of Port Graham and tribal representatives from lower Cook Inlet in Homer, as well as Kodiak and Lake Iliamna by teleconference, included a summary presentation on the Alaska Seafood Processors General Permit by Project Manager Lindsay Guzzo, and discussion about NPDES program delegation to Alaska. Project Manager Hanh Shaw facilitated meetings in Anchorage with PacRim Coal, contributing federal and state agencies, and the Native Village of Tyonek on the status of Chuitna Coal Project, and with tribal representatives from upper Cook Inlet on drafting the Programmatic Agreement related to the treatment of historic properties and artifacts discovered at the Ladd Landing site.

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